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SUBJECT FISHING VESSEL GOLDEN DRAGON NR ONE

FOLLOWING REPEAT USCGC MORGENTHAU

QUOTE TO RUWMDMA/CCGDSEVENTEEN JUNEAU AK INFO RUEBJGA/COMDT COGARD WASHINGTON DC RUWMHIA/COMPACAREA COGARD SAN FRANCISCO CA RUWMHIA/CCGDTWELVE SAN FRANCISCO CA

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ZEN/USCGC RUSH

RUWMHIA/USCGC MIDGETT

RUEBJGA/NMFS WASHINGTON DC

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SITREP FIVE FCMA PARA 611.4C POSSIBLE VIOLATION/SEIZURE

1. SITUATION:

A. SUSPECT: TW, GOLDEN DRAGON NO 1/BVHY

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- B. POSITION 52-01.4N 173-09.4E
- C. COURSE 060 DEGREES T SPEED 05 KTS
- D. CGC MORGENTHAU BOARDING PARTY REMAINS ON BOARD SUBJ VSL.
- E. AMPLIFYING INFORMATION
- (1) PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE TAKEN ONBOARD BY BOARDING PARTY SHOWS FOLLOWING FRESH FISH FOUND: 18 POLLOCK, 04 TANNER CRAB, 01 AREO HEAD FLOUNDER, 01 POSSIBLE SABLEFISH FISHHEAD.

- (2) ANGLE OF TRAWL WARPS 45 DEGREES. TRAWL APPEARED ROUTINE AS OBSERVED BY CG1425 ON ORIGINAL SIGHTING.
- (3) BOTH WET AND DRY NETS MADE OF POLYVINYL CHLORIDE.
- (4) IF ONLY ONE WARP MOTOR OPERATIONAL TRAWL CAN STILL BE RETRIEVED AT SLOW SPEED.
- $(5)\,\mathrm{FRESH}$ FISH FOUND IN PROCESSING AREAS AND TRAWL DECK. NEG FOUND IN HOLDS.
- (6) MASTER DENIES FISHING AND CLAIMS ALL FRESH FISH WERE CAUGHT BY 22 APR 78.
- (7) SUBJ VSL MAINTAINS ENGINEERING LOG. NEG SPEED CHANGES LOGGED FOR 25 APR 78.
- 2. ACTION TAKEN:
- A. 261042Z ESTABLISHED RADIO COMMS WITH CCGDSEVENTEEN VIA PHONEPATCH.
- 3. FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:
- A. AWAIT STATEMENT OF NO OBJECTION. UNQUOTE VANCE

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